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Applicants : Frans Eduard Janssens et al. Conf. No. : 3160

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Title : NOVEL FORMULATIONS FOR OPIOID-BASED TREATMENTS OF

PAIN COMPRISING 1-(1,2-DISUBSTITUTED PIPERIDINYL)-4-

SUBSTITUTED PIPERAZINE DERIVATIVES

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## **AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action dated June 13, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.